

CEO Report

Educating the Next Generation



At Rise we believe every student can reach their full potential...

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2021 – 2022 Fall Report

Fall Report

1. 21st Century Started on the 12th of October.
2. Robotics has started for the staff, with the start for the students set for the first week in November. Gannon University has agreed to work with us to supply the technical expertise.
3. The 7 & 8 Grade Technology program and the Healthcare Program through A+ Strategies and Corporate Solutions has been placed on hold. Information will be sent to the Board as it becomes available.
4. The first grading quarter ends October 28th.

The school is asking for approval of the hybrid/virtual plan submitted as an additional piece to our Health and Safety plan should it be required.

Principal's Report Oct 2021

Enrollment

363 students

School Culture & Climate

Teachers are held to high expectations to ensure our students are accountable and successful. We believe in giving people their flowers while they are able to see them. We want to ensure teachers have not only received monetary incentives but words of affirmation, shout outs and other incentives to continue instructing & nurturing our at-risk students. Staff receive shout outs via email when he/she has gone the extra mile for our students and/or parents. The following staff were celebrated and thanked for their dedication & hard work:

1. Ms. Strickland
2. Mrs. Livelsberger
3. Mr. Cramer
4. Dr. Ngolo

Staff Spotlight: Teachers, students and staff are recognized for their hard work and his/her picture is placed on display outside the main office with name in "lights"

Once a month on a Friday afternoon, 2-3 students are chosen to walk around the school and present raffle tickets to all staff and say something positive about that staff member "thank you for being an awesome person, ERLACS depends on you" (this is usually accompanied by a snack)

Response to Intervention

- Students are grouped according to "how many points he/she are away from his/her academic goal" *this information is retrieved from CDT data
- Sessions run approximately 40 mins (this operates like "speed dating")
- I-Ready diagnostics are showing exactly where the student needs to improve
- RTI instruction is implemented in various areas in the building (outside the classroom, small spaces, flexible seating) so instruction is short, but effective and efficient
- This approach helps students master multiple (ELA, Math) skills at a time while receiving core subject knowledge
- Students "close the gap" with this method of intervention
- Dr. Wilson is in each class daily for a minimum of 25 minutes to observe lesson plans, instructional

processes, classroom management and time management

- Helping students learn “How” to love education
- Principal’s Challenge- every day for 15-20 minutes students read a minimum of three literary works
*books (a - fun, b- on level, c- advanced)

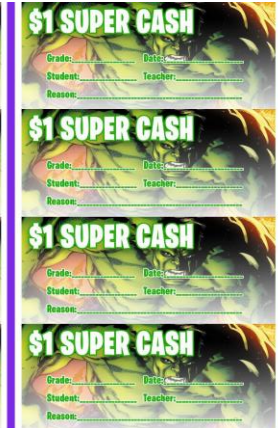
What to Expect

- Students were introduced to the affirmation chair, restorative justice and mindful meditation - students are held accountable for their actions and SST is providing a counseling service 2 weeks minimum after any incident
- Mindful meditation/SEL is implemented in students’ daily schedules BEFORE instruction begins
*Moral Focus is implemented into the curriculum to help teachers navigate Mindfulness
- Teachers are working collaboratively with our SPED department to ensure accommodations are in place
- Each day a new student is chosen to participate in morning announcements (Date, special announcements, birthdays are shout out, quote of the day)
- 0 voice level in the hallway and smooth transition (students know we run a tight ship)
- Successful fire drill 10/1
- Teachers do not tell students what they cannot do but emphasize on “I CAN”
- Teachers MUST have students recite “I can” during lesson objectives so students can make a correlation between instruction and independent work
- Students are accountable for his/her actions so instead of the principal “fixing” the problem, the SST team and other positive adults provide a space of reflection and relationship repair for the students to find the solution
- Nov 1 students will be in uniform

Incentives & Student Buy-in

RISE SUPER CASH REWARDS

School Supplies 25 SUPER CASH 	Socks 40 SUPER CASH 	Books 50 SUPER CASH 	Nail Polish 50 SUPER CASH 	Dress Down Pass or Dress Up Pass 50 SUPER CASH 	Keychains 60 SUPER CASH 
Landyards 50 SUPER CASH 	Mousepad 50 SUPER CASH 	Snacks or Drink 60 SUPER CASH 	Squishies 65 SUPER CASH 	Homework Pass 65 SUPER CASH 	Aux Cord 65 SUPER CASH 
Sensory or Single Toys 65 SUPER CASH 	Lunch with a Friend 70 SUPER CASH 	Pokemon Cards 75 SUPER CASH 	Get Out of Jail Free 75 SUPER CASH 	Headbands 75 SUPER CASH 	Lipgloss 75 SUPER CASH 
Puzzle 100 SUPER CASH 	? Mystery Box 100 SUPER CASH 	Chromebook Lunch 100 SUPER CASH 	NEW Chromebook Headphones 100 SUPER CASH 	Water Bottle 125 SUPER CASH 	DuRags 125 SUPER CASH 



Parent Involvement

- Data suggests Parent involvement is correlated with student achievement and also paired with positive

student relationships

- Parents were contacted prior to the end of the first quarter so relationships can be mended and parents know that teachers are providing a day for students to submit missing assignments.
- Beginning November 1 (based on approval from our interim CEO), parents can participate in our first monthly “Parent Academy”
- Saturday Academy will focus on student makeup, extra RTI time and SEL
- Parent Academy will focus on areas of improvement for our parents (resume help, resources, job fairs, and instructional help so they may help their children with his/her academic progress)
- Parents are encouraged to participate in their child’s learning by: communicating with teachers as much as possible (remind 101, weekly emails, class dojo)

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Human Resources/Compliance Report

HR is requesting approval of the following Employees:

1. Ms. Veronica Brown – School Nurse
2. Ms. Lynne Keys – Cafeteria Manager
3. Ms. Loretta Pacley – Classroom Aide

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Special Programs/Activities:

- The RFO is finalizing plans to sponsor a Family Fun Night, suggestions include a Bowling or Skating event.
- The RFO is encouraging Families, Teachers, Board Members, and the Administration to submit Box Tops to the Rise Office.
- Survey will be sent home to parents to identify parent's areas of interest and concerns.
- Assisted with the Parent Meet & Greet held on Thursday, September 23rd.

Upcoming Events

- Parents are encouraged to continue submitting Box Tops to benefit the RFO Activity Fund
- The RFO monthly meeting will be held Monday November 8, 2021, at 6:00 p.m. The body will plan activities for the upcoming year and accept nominations of officers for the 2021-2022 Academic Year.
- Working with the school administration to resume snack sales to increase RFO funding.
- Additional fundraisers include the Save Around Book and Pulakos Easter Candy Project.

	Erie Rise-Rise Family Organization Treasurer's Report			10/12/2021	
	Savings Account				
Beginning Balance					\$2,539.27
9/30/2021	Dividend	\$0.21			
Ending Balance					\$2,539.48
10/12/2021					
	Erie-Rise Family Organiation Treasurer's Report				
	Checking Account				
Adjusted Beginning Balance					\$2,255.03
9/7/2021					
Funds Received:					\$368.19
Erie Rise Leadership Academy		\$300.00			
Note: Redeposited Funds/Social Services					
Erie Rise Leadership Academy		\$68.19			
Note: Redeposited Funds/Social Services					
Expenses:					\$591.95
Social Services			\$500.00		
Note: Family Support Advance					
Sam's Club (Snacks)			\$28.96		
Amazon			62.99		
Note: Pending Challenged Transaction (Amazon)					
Ending Balance					\$2,031.27
10/12/2021					